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CALLED BY MR. SHEPARD. BABY PLAYED WITH BANKNOTES.

DELEGATES TO HOLD A MEETING IN THE CLARENDON HOTEL TO-MORROW.

TO CONSIDER MATTERS TO COME UP AT SYRA CUSE-SOME OF THE MEN WHO WILL GO TO INDIANAPOLIS-DENIAL THAT

> MR. SHEPARD IS TO BE CANDIDATE FOR VICE

PRESIDENT

The delegates of the Democratic party in Kings County, or the Shepard Democracy, will hold a meeting in the Clarendon Hotel to-morrow evening. The meeting has been called at the request of Edward M. Shepard, and it will be held primarky for the consideration of matters relating to the Sound Money Democratic Convention at In calling his followers together, Mr. Shepard did not tell them the exact nature of the business to be transacted, but it is known that he has matters of importance to place before them.

The State delegates will be those who were sent to the last Democratic State Convention, but who were not admitted to the hall. It was decided to re-elect the old set of delegates, because n the time permitted for action it would not have been possible to go through the ordinary course of choosing delegates without hurrying matters note than would have been wise. When the reach Syracuse or possibly before that Indianapolis. Pive of the men will, it is said, be Jeorge Foster Prabody, A. Augustus Healy, John H. Scheidt, Jacob S. Van Wyck and St. Clair Mc il accompany the ten delegates to Indianapolis. The Congrary for the trip has been arranged and announced to the delegates. The delegation will leave Weehawken on Sunday noon and will ar-rive in Syracuse early in the evening. Monday will be given up to the convention in Syracuse, art will be made from Syracuse in time in Indianapolis at 11 o'clock on Tues-

The decisive victory for sound money in the General Committee meeting on Friday evening has given additional confidence to the party leaders, who are now fully authorized to join forces with the Sound Money Democrats from other parts of this State and the Nation in putting a second Democrate nominee in the field. The report that Mr. Shepard is a probable candidate for Vice-President on the Indianapolis ticket is denied by prominent leaders in the party.

RELIEF FOR THE HOSPITAL.

ADDITIONS TO THE KINGS COUNTY INSTITU-TION TO BE BUILT SOON.

The overcrowing of the Kings County Hospital, which has been going on for a long time, and which has lately been so a rious as to be a reflection on the local government, will soon be at an onl. The courts have decided that the Controller must certify the contract which has already been made by the Charl ties Commissioners, and the City Works Department

and female nurses respectively, and the fourth will be for convalescents. The need for these additions has long been felt, but it was not until this year that the respectively. Under the management of the branches of this subject which will be taken the present Research of the branches of this subject which will be taken

advertise for proposals. After receiving the proosais, the Commissioner made a report to the Board of Aldermen, and they directed him to enter into a of Aldermen, and they directed him to enter this a contract with Thomas G. Carlin, the lowest bidder, who offered to do the work for \$33.668. When the contract was submitted to Controller Palmer, however, se declined to certify that there was money on hand or the erection of the buildings, saying that the noney paid over by the Charlies Commissioners was a balance of the last fiscal year of the county and hould have gone into the revenue fund of the City of Brooklyn. The courts have decided against his onientian, and the subject is now in the hands of the New Works Department.

calls for ninely days.

"We have almost double the number that we ought to have in the hospital," said Charlites Commissioner Charles J. Henry. "We have to resort to all sorts of expedients, such as having the convalescents sleep on mattresses on he foor. The overcrowding has ex-

ME. DASHIELL AT THE NAVY YARD.

THE ASSISTANT NAVAL CONSTRUCTOR ON

of Assistant Constructor Dashiell from Washinglittle ripple of excitement yesterday Some of the officials disclaimed any knowledge of his mission, but in company with Assistant Contructor Hibbs, he made a tour of the yard yesafortunate Ericason and the damaged caisson hose who are familiar with Mr Hibbs's testimony efore the court of inquiry may regard the visit if the Washington official and his inspection of be vard under the guidance of this particular con-

the vard under the guidance of this particular fructor as eigenmean? The monitor Terror left the island wharf at 9 a. in yesterday to join the fleet at Tompkinsville.

AN "EASY MARK" FOR THE PRISONER.

ohn Victory, of No. 946 Gates-ave., who admitted hat he had served time in Elmira, and earns at ust part of his living as a truck driver, was arlaigned in the Gates Avenue Police Court yester-eas, charged with purloining a gold watch, chain and charm from John H. Beach, of No. L177 Bed-ford-ave. Victory said that Beach lent him the exich, and accommodatingly fastened it on his salstonat. This happy act of friendship took hace, according to Victory, in Hogan's Hotel, No. when both of them were in a mel-law condition on Sunday. From the hotel they went to athletic clubrooms near by and had a spar-ring match, and then to another hotel, where they had more drinks, and where Victory lost Beach. Justice Lamon, after hearing both sides, held Vic-tory in \$1,000 bail for the Grand Jury. "You are an easy mark. Mr. Beach," said the Justice.

"I am a dead easy mark, Your Honor," repiled Mr. Beach, "but I was not drunk."

TWO SISTERS TO BE MARRIED.

e Misses Emilie and Anna B. Kornmaier, daughof the Rev. S. Kornmaier, paster of the First German Baptist Church, in Prospect-ave., will be married by their father at the church of the Rev. L Marquardt, also known as the First German daptist Church, in Montrose-ave., to-morrow even ng at 7.20 o'clock.

Miss Emilie will become the wife of the Rev Miss Emilie will become the wife of the Rev. William Becker, of Allegheny, Penn., and her sister Miss Anna, will become Mrs. Edward F. Schroeder, of River Edge, N. J. Miss Lydia Scrimaier will act as bridesmaid for Miss Emilie, while A. Linder will be best man for the Rev. Mr. Becker. Miss Anna will be attended by Miss Bertha Klein, and her prospective husband's best man will be William Schroeder. After the double wedding there will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents. No. 567 Sixteenth-st.

10 BUILD KITCHENS AT KINGS PARK.

in order to do away with the necessity of con-

THEY WERE WRAPPED UP IN A RAG, AND HAD BEEN LOST IN THE STREET.

The cautious people who pass by a purse filled with good money on April Fool's Day, for fear it may be a decoy, had something like that experience repeated in Fourteenth-st. on Sunday. The day before, Mrs. Ferguson, of No. 279 Fourteenth-st., received \$590 from her son to deposit for him in the bank. Mrs. Ferguson reached the bank after the early closing hour, and, with the roll of money tied in a rag, started home. When he arrived there she was horror-stricken on find ing that her precious parcel was missing.

Several boys playing ball in the street near her home found a rag bundle that afternoon, and played ball with it. Growing tired of this they ossed the rag ball aside. Then along came Osca Waller, who saw the bundle and, picking it up it in kindness of heart to two-year-c Baby McLaughlin, telling her that it would make a nice rag dolly. The little one appreciated her gift, and for several hours talked to it and put it to sleep, as children are wont to do with both reputable and disreputable dolls. When it came

reputable and disreputable dolls. When it came time for supper, her father stepped out and, picking her up, carried her, rag dolly and all, into the house. He did not appreciate the plaything as much as his daughter, and he was about to throw it in the coal bucket when he felt something crackle. Opening it, he was greatly amazed when a large roll of bills dropped out.

Mr Waller was likewise startled, but, with presence of mind, promptly put in a claim for half of the find, inasmuch as he had presented it to Baby McLaughlin. A pointed and personal argument followed, which wound up with Mr. McLaughlin giving Mr. Waller 1306. They had been so loud in their arguing, however, that Mrs. Ferguson, their neighbor, was attracted to the scene. She was rejoiced at seeing her son's lost savings, and immediately put in a claim for the roll, which she received.

IGNORANT OF HIS RIGHTS.

WILLIAM BARKER RELEASED AFTER SERVING PART OF A SENTENCE FOR VAGRANCY

William Barker, a respeciable man, living at No. 346 West Thirty-fourth-st., New-York City, went to Coney Island on July 3. At 9 o'clock in the morning he was arrested on a charge of vagrancy and brought before Police Justice J. Lott Nostrand, who com-mitted him to the Pentientiary for five months. Barker has a wife and family. Some of his friends interested Justice Finnerty, of Coney Island, in the case and the Justice, who is also a lawyer, obtained a wri of habeas corpus from Justice Goodrich, of the Su-preme Court. Barker was brought before Justice Goodrich yesterday afternoon. Assistant District Assistant District-Astornes Caidwell said the man was lawfully held by the Warden of the Penitentiary Justice Goodrich called Barker to the bench and after a short conversa-tion with him said:

tion with him said:

"It appears to me that perhaps an injustice has been done to this man. Turker has a wife and children and he tells me that he was not acquainted with his rights when he was arraigned before the Justice. It may have been that his case was not given due consideration. I think he ought to be discharged.

Mr. Caldwell said he had no objection to Barker's discharge, if the Court thought an injustice had been done. Barker was released at once.

TECHNICAL DESIGNING TO BE TAUGHT.

A COMPLETE COURSE TO BE ADDED TO THE CURRICULUM OF THE BROOKLYN

A complete course in technical designing has been added to the curriculum of the Brooklyn Art School s provided for in that contract.

buildings are four in number, and are to be Institute of Arts and Sciences. This field opens a first building work. Numberless manualing building work. to be a drug building, two others are to be for male factured articles are decorated by artistic designs the present Board, enough money was saved from the earnings of the peritentiary to build them without branch. After a two years' course in general ornapeouring an appropriation for the purpose.

Plans were submitted to the Charilles, December 1. Plans were submitted to the Charities Department by P. J. Lauritzen, and were approved by the Commissioners and forwarded to the State Board of Charities. On receiving the approval of the latter, the Commissioners submitted the subject to the Board of Aldermen, who directed the City Works Commissioner to advertise for proposals. After receiving the approval of the latter, the Commissioners are confident to the Board of Aldermen, who directed the City Works Commissioner to advertise for proposals. After receiving the latter to alwer the city works Commissioner to advertise for proposals.

AN INDORSEMENT LIKELY TO FOLLOW.

PROBABLE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC GEN-ERAL COMMITTEE TO NIGHT-WHY BRYAN IS PAVORED

The Democratic General Committee of Kings County will meet this evening in the Atheneum, in Atlantic-ave, to pass sentence upon the candidates of the Chicago Convention. The verdict will in all probability be guilty, with a suggestion like 'Don't shoot them, for they are doing the best they can.' The number of the members of the committee who are willing to consider themselves free silverites is ludicrously small, but the number who consider that they owe more to their party than to the country is wofully large. The result will be an indorsement of Bryan and Sewall, which will mean nothing except that the members of the com-mittee cannot muster courage enough to vote against a man nominated at a convention to which

they had sent delegates.
It could not be learned yesterday whether or no James D. Hell, the chairman of the committee, would preside at the meeting. A clerk at his office said that he was out of town on his vacation, and would not be in Brooklyn for a week or more. the headquarters of the committee, in the Jefferson Building, nothing was known about the meeting except that it would be held in the Atheneum, and that it was advertised to open at 8 o'clock. Bernard J. York, chairman of the Executive Commit tee, said that he expected Mr. Bell to be present Mr. Bell has carefully avoided committing himself on the Bryan question, and his action to-night, if he is present, will be watched with the keenest interest. His failure to attend the meeting or to send a letter will be interpreted as a sign that he will do nothing to help Bryan, but may vote against

Mr. York, it is expected, will be the leader in the attempt to secure the perfunctory "indorsement" of Bryan. It is more than probable that several resooutions will be presented showing varying degrees of interest or enthusiasm for the Chicago candi-

dates.

Another indorsement will be that of ex-District-Attorney James W. Ridgway for the Governorship. This action will be not only a puff for Ridgway, but also a slap at the Bryan and Sewali Club No. 1, which launched the William J. Gaynor boom a week or so ago. Mr. Ridgway's friends are confident that their indorsement will be passed, but they extend that it will be strongly opposed by a certain peet that it will be strongly opposed by a certain element of the party, which cannot conceal the fact that it does not thoroughly approve Ridgway's past political record.

The Ridgway press bureau has been opened, and

that it does not thoroughly approve Radgway's past political record.

The Hidgway press bureau has been opened, and the following is a good sample of its work:

"Ex-County Clerk John Cottler, speaking of Mr. Ridgway's popularity, said to-day that the ex-District-Attorney seemed to be well known all over the State. Wherever I have been in any section of the State and registered from Brooklyn the first question the hotel cierk would ask was, 'Do you know iton the hotel cierk would ask was, 'Do you know I'm Ridgway' When I said I did, I would be told what a fine fellow 'Jim' was, and how much the cierk thought of him. It was really remarkable."

ANOTHER CHAPTER OF THE CHARTER. William C. DeWitt was at his office in the Garwithiam C. Dewitt was at his office in the Gar-field Building yesterday, and said that the next chapter of the Greater New-York charter was in the hands of the printer, and would be ready for the press within a day or so. He said that he was going to have no conflict with Messrs. Low and Dutcher on the subject of drafting the charter on educational matters. He will draft a chapter, and educational matters. He will draft a chapter, and Messrs. Low and Dutcher will make an exhaustive study of the subject and report to the sub-committee in September. The charter will have twenty-two chapters altogether. The health of Assistant Corporation Counsel Dean, who has been assisting Mr. DeWitt, has broken down, and it has been necessary for him to go to the mountains to recuperate. Mr. DeWitt hopes to complete his work by September 15.

LIQUOR MEN MUST PAY TAXES.

Deputy United States Revenue Collector Kinney is preparing for a "round-up" of the delinquent re-tail liquor-dealers at Coney Island, Far Rockaway and one or two other places in that section. There are twenty dealers who have not paid the annual the State Charities Board has had plans drawn for ten brick kitchens in the rear of cottages Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15, respectively. Food will be transported from kitchen to cottage through tunnels. In this way the patients will have hot viands at svery mest. The kitchens will be finished by January. The Board recognizes the fact that it will be compelled within a short time to provide at Kings Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients now in the Park for the 150 additional patients will be the patients will be the patients with the Government tax, and their policy seems to be walting to see what the Government is going to do about it. Mr. Kinney said yesterday that in addition to the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers dition to the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers will undoubtedly be prosecuted. In this case some of the men will find themselves in serious trouble. The penalty, if the men are found guilty of will undoubtedly be prosecuted. In this case some of the men will find themselves in serious trouble. The penalty, if the men are found guilty of will undoubtedly be prosecuted. In this case some of the men will find themselves in serious trouble in the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers dition to the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers dition to the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers dition to the delinquent fine of \$150, the dealers dition to Government tax, and their policy seems to be wait-

ANALYZING THE WATER.

CHEMISTS OF THE HEALTH DEPART-

MENT STILL AT WORK.

STEPS TAKEN TO REMEDY ANY EVILS-REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF L. M. DE VARONA.

The chemists of the Health Department are still analyzing samples of the city water from different parts of the city, but keep a profound silence as to the result of their investigations. They say that it is the business of the City Works Department to remedy the evil. The engineer of the water supply. I. M. De Varona, says that his department stands ready and willing to remedy any trouble which the Health authoritier may designate, but that he as yet has received no such detailed information. A conference was held in his office more than two weeks ago to talk over the numerous complaints of bad water which were coming in. Since that time it is understood that investigations have been made by the Health Department. No definite action will be taken by the Health authorities until Commissioner Emery returns on Friday. Then a report of what has been done will be laid before him, and steps will be taken at once to remove all cause of the complaints as to vile-smelling and vile-tasting water, which have been heard in Brookiyn all summer

In the latter part of last week Dr. Wyckoff, Deputy Health Commissioner, sent a letter to the City Works Department asking that a report giving the ponds and reservoirs from which water was being drawn from day to day be sent to the department twice every week.

bacteriologist reported that a slight increase in culture colonies had been noticed in the water of late. Mr. De Varona forwarded a reply to Dr. Wyckoff last night, in which he said that the average amount drawn from the various sources was about the same from day to day. He declares that the theory that the water is contaminated by foul deposits in the Ridgewood basins is wholly false, as one of them is a new structure, and the other is as clean as it has ever been. Some time ago it was suggested that some of the trouble could be attributed to the stagnant water and sediment in the mains in those streets where the hydrants have not been opened for some time. Orders have been given to have such hydrants about the city flushed. This is gradually

being done.

The Engineer of Water Supply, I. M. De Varona, in his report for the year 1894, and in that for last year, just issued, recommends the creation of a laboratory to be charged exclusively with the duty of making chemical, microscopical and biological examinations of the water, and other investigations pertaining to the water sup-ply of the city. Systematic chemical analyses have been made for the last two years by the Board of Health, which, it is said, show nothing deleterious in the present condition of the water supply. The biological examinations are more important and take a longer time. The Engineer of Water Supply has called attention to this fact repeatedly, and asserts that they are now being made by the Department of Health, as are also repeatedly, and asserts that they are now being made by the Department of Health, as are also microscopical examinations. As soon as the re-suits of the latter are known, if the present trouble in the water arises in the sources of suptrouble in the water arises in the sources of sup-ply or exists at the reservoir, the proper steps can be taken to remedy the evil. Mr. De Varona adds that "algae," which are a frequent source of trouble and have occasioned complaints, at one time or another, in almost all the large cities, may be present in the water. He will make re-port to Commissioner Willis as soon as the re-sults of the examinations of the Board of Health are completed.

TRYING TO FIND HER FATHER.

COLONEL YEARGAN'S DAUGHTER WITH OLD FRIENDS STILL SEARCHING FOR HIM.

Colonel 1. H. Yeargan, the well-known Southerner, August 15, is still missing. His daughter, Miss Praise Yeargan, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., who came to New-York to visit her father, and the Colonel's old friends in New-York, are making every effort to find him, onel Yeargan's disappearance is one of mystery. is feared that he is demented, and has either wan-dered off or has been detained by unscrupulous men. who are holding him for a ransom. Some time predone to his disappearance, Colonel Yeargan's fri were amazed at his eccentricities. For two or three he gave out a number of checks which were presented at the Mechanics' National Bank, where he has an account, by rough-looking men and boys more of them until Colonel Yeargan could be seen. Early in August the Colonel went to Asbury Park, here, but immediately afterward escaped from them. On July 31 it was found he had been arrested under On July 31 it was found as had appropriating some trifling article from one of the big drygoods stores. He was tried for that offence on August 6, and about to receive a sentence of eleven months in the earance, decided to make a further investigation pearance, decided to make a further investigation. His attorneys, Daniel O'Reilly and Abram Pincus. His attorneys, Daniel O'Reilly and the result was that he was allowed to go on condition that his friends would care for him until he recovered his mind. In the meantime he had written a letter to his daughter asking her to visit him. She arrived in the East, having previously telegraphed to her father to meet her in Jersey City upon the arrival of the night train over the Pennsylvania road. On the trip Missirain over the Pennsylvania road. On the word that Colonel Yeargan made the acquaintance of a daughter of Dr. Charles P. Feterman, of No. 85. Lafavette-ave. When Miss Yeargan and her friend discovered that Colonel Yeargan was not at the station they waited for six nours expecting that he would surely come. Late at night Miss Feterman suggested that Miss Yeargan come to her house and there wait until her father could be found. She accepted the invitation, and since that time Dr. Peterman and others have done everything in their power to find the missing man, as yet without success.

L. D. Yeargan, a coulsin of Colonel Yeargan, arrived from Tennessee, several days ago, and has since, in company with New-York detectives, assisted in the search. Miss Yeargan said last night that she had absolutely no clew to her father's whereabouts, but had not given up hope of finding him. His attorneys, Duniel O'Reilly and Abram Pincus,

him. Colonel Yeargan is fifty-nine years old. He weigh about 170 pounds, and is five feet nine and one-ha-inches in height. His hair is nearly white.

MAIL ROBBERS TO START WEST.

ONE OF THEM IS ONLY EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD AND IS SIX FEET TEN INCHES TALL

Deputy United States Marshal Koch will start this morning for Little Rock, Ark., with the horse-thieves and mail-coach robbers, "Jack" Redding and "Redbug" Stanley, who have just completed a three years' sentence in the Kings County Penitentiary. Koch will be accompanied by two Penitentiary guards, who will take turns in watching

tentiary son the long journey.

The prisoners on the long journey.

The sentence just completed was for horse-stealing in Arkanses. As soon as their time expired, Redding and Stanley were rearrested on the charge "holding up" a mail coach which ran between Little Rock and some outlying towns to the west The robbery was a short time after the horse-stealing occurred, and, in fact, the deed was committed with some of the stolen horses. Redding and Stan-

ing occurred, and, in taking the solution of the stolen horses. Redding and Stanley were the only men arrested of a gang of seven who were concerned in the robbery. The gang unceeded in acting away with a large sum of money, in addition to nearly killing the driver and filehing the valuables of the few passengers in the coach. The prisoners were later on captured after a desperate fight.

Stanley is one of the most reckiess criminals who ever graced a jail. The fellow is only eighteen years old, and stands 6 feet 10 inches in his stockings. Just when he began his carrier of crime he himself cannot tell. He was only afteen years old when he assisted in holding up the stage-coach hait years before that time he had been known hat years before that time he had been known hat years before that time he had been known hat years before that time he had been known hat years before that time he had been known hat years before that time he had been known hat it is not the first water. The young fellow, so far tough of the first water. The young fellow, so far as is known, has no retailves living. He becam to shift for himself at an early age, and grew up in a hotbed of crime. In and around the Iron Mountain region he learned all the tricks of the "road agents" and of the two men will undoubtedly result gion.
The trial of the two men will undoubtedly result in keeping them in confinement for a great many years to come.

BOTH CHARGE ABANDONMENT.

Edith G. Offey, the wife of George S. Offey, a onductor on the Long Island Railroad, applied to Justice Goodrich yesterday for allmony and counsel fee in her action for a separation on the ground of abandonment. Lawyer Carpenter said the defendant had been abandoned by the plaintiff, and that he was ready to take her back. Inclision was reserved.

PUBLIC WORKS STOPPED. A HOTEL'S SUDDEN CLOSING.

GUESTS OF THE CLARENDON, AT BATH REACH, RECEIVE SHORT NOTICE.

THE PROPRIETOR, MRS. WOOD, UNDER ARREST,

CHARGED WITH ISSUING WORTHLESS

CHECKS-SHE SAYS SHE IN-TENDED NO WRONG.

Notwithstanding that the Clarendon Hotel, at Crop. fifty or more guests at the place, it was unceremocompelled to seek quarters eisewhere. The place looked as if a cyclone had visited it and to add to the confusion of a hasty notice of departure the guests were awakened at an early hour in the morning by ries of "Fire!" and for nearly half an hour place was the scene of much excitement. The guests gathered in the hallways, and it was not until arrival of a couple of policemen that they could be quieted and induced to go back to their rooms. Upo investigation it was found that the cry of fire was raised by seven-year-old Harold Adams, who it seem became delirious in the early part of the morning. He was attended by Dr. Voorhees.

The sudden closing of the Clarendon was caused by the arrest of the proprietor, Mrs. Mary R. Wood, on he charge of passing worthless checks upon local tradesmen, and she was arraigned before Justice Rhodes, in the Fort Hamilton Police Court, on the implaint of two butchers, a grocer and a fish dealer. While I., Miller, a butcher, of Bay Nineteenth-st., was ing he learned that Mrs. Wood was about to leave the place, and, remembering that she had given \$66.25, he hurried to Justice Rhodes and secured warrant. The checks were drawn on the Standard National Bank in New-York and they were returned

About five minutes after Justice Rhodes had issued the warrant Frederick Tworger appeared before him and asked for a warrant for Mrs. Wood upon the charge that she had passed two worthless \$10 checks

Policeman Chariton, of the Twenty-ninth Precinc who received the warrants to serve, came near hav-ing a lively time when he went to arrest Mrs. Wood Upon his arrival at the Clarendon she ran into a nearby room and locked herself in, and a dozen or more sympathizing women tried to protect her. The policeman rapped on the door, and when he was not admitted he torced it open. Mrs. Wood was then taken to court, where she was held in 52e built for examination on Thursday morning. Charles Buchram, of Brooklyn, became her bondsman. Justice Rhodes had no sooner left the bench before Martin Roth, a vegetable dealer, of Bathave and Hay Nineteenthest, entered the court and also asked for the arrest of Mrs. Wood, saying that she nid passed a worthless check for 34 upon him. In Justice Rhodes a absence Justice Cowenhoven issued the warrant, and Mrs. Wood had to appear before the Court on the additional charge.

Mrs. Wood says that she owes her present troubles to the backward season and to the poor pay of some of her guests. She says that she had two worthless checks passed upon her and lost all her money. She neckme behind in her rent, and her landiord, Gustave Bierohin, requested the payment of his money. It was necessary, Mrs. Wood said, for her to give him an order on each of her guests as their money became due. When she issued the checks to the tradesmen who secured warrants she had money in the Standard National Bank, but before the checks were presented she was compelled to draw the money to pay the landlord, Mrs. Wood told both Justices Rhodes and Cowenhoven that her intentions were good, but that she was unfortunate. nearby room and locked herself in, and a dozen

NO BRYAN FOR THEM.

MEMBERS OF THE BROOKLYN CENTRAL LABOR UNION TABLE A RESOLUTION FOR A RATIFICATION MEETING.

Brooklyn Bryanites had an unpleasant experience Sunday, which they have attempted to keep out the newspapers. It became known, however, in pite of them. District Assembly No. 75, K. of L. surface railroad employes, selected three representatives, Messrs, Dugan, Giblin and Bolton, an astructed them to call upon the Brooklyn Central Labor Union to seek its co-operation in arranging for a big Bryan ratification meeting. The Labor Union delegates treated the proposition wit marked coldness, and, after a brief discussion voted by a big majority to table a resolution

ST. MARTHA'S TO BE A HOSPITAL.

PETITION GRANTED ALLOWING THE SANI-TARIUM AND DISPENSARY TO ENLARGE

ITS WORK Supreme Court Justice Goodrich yesterday grantee a petition presented to him by the trustees of St. Martha's Sanitarium and Dispensary, at Dean-st and Kingston-ave., asking leave to increase the benevolent purposes of the association as expressed in its certificate of incorporation. The institution will now include a sanitarium and dispensary, hespital, an emergency hospital, a home for invahespital, an emergency hospital, a non-time the managed by homeeopathic physicians and surgeons, and a training school for nurses.

The petition was signed by Mrs. Thancrine Mary Kearney, president of the institution; Mrs. J. M. Church, secretary, Mary Seaman, Cornella S. Tripp, Maude Smith, Emm. D. Russell, Ella S. Meyer, Ruth Y. Smith and Sister Julia, S. S. J. E.

WANTS TO SEE ON HIS CONTRACT.

TROUBLE OVER THE CANAL AND BASIN AT THE

NEW SEAWANHARA YACHT CLUB HOUSE. Alonzo E. Smith the contractor who built the anal and basin for the new Seawanhaka Yacht Club house at Oyster Bay, wants to sue the club for his money. The negotiations preceding the confor his money. tract were conducted by Charles E. Wetmore, member of the club. Smith's lawyer, Henry A. Monfort, obtained an order from Justice Clement to examine Wetmore before a referee, with a of bringing an action to recover \$7.247.67, alleged to be due on the contract, and for \$2.000 alleged damages for causing the work to be delayed. ages for causing the work to be delayed. Instead and well well and the condition of the con was reserved.

HE DID NOT KILL HIMSELF.

THE DEATH OF ORVILLE T. SMITH WAS DUE IN NATURAL CAUSES.

The following self-explanatory letter has been re

ceived:

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: Kindly permit me to rectify the statement made in Saturday morning's Tribune to the effect that the death of Orville T. Smith, whose body was found on Friday afternoon at Atlantic-ave, and Bedford Place, was caused by carboile acid poisoning.

The Coroner's jury, after a thorough investigation of all the circumstances attending the death, determined the cause of death to be tuberculosis and internal hemorphage.

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The theory of suicide advanced by the police and
mospital authorities was based on the discovery of a
bottle which had originally contained carbolic acid
lying fully fifty feet away from the body.

The statement made by Detective Moran that the
dead man had "taken out several patents which had
proved worthless and had been a burden on his
wife's parents" was absolutely without foundation.

He was ingenious and of an inventive mind. He invented a machine for sorting and wrapping oranges,
but did not place it on the market because of the
destruction of last year's orange crop by the nearly
frost.

RESHMAN.

No. 33 Brevuori Place, Brooklyt The writer of the article, as is usual in such cases, was largely guided by the police returns, and the error was in no sense chargeable to careless reporting.

TWO WILLS FILED FOR PROBATE.

The will of Joseph Stehlin, the brewer, who died during the recent hot speil after he had spent an hour in his icehouse, has been filed for probate. The estate goes to the widow, Ameita Johana Stehiln, of No. 101 Grove-st. Mr. Stehiln is said to have left \$20,000 in personal property. The value of the real estate is unknown.

The will of Ellen Martin was filed for probate .

the Surrogate's Court yesterday on August is Mrs. Martin and her husband. Thaddeus K. Martin, were killed while walking on the track of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad. The estate goes to the children, William A. and John Martin.

NO MONEY IN THE CITY TREASURY TO PAY ON CONTRACTS.

SECTION NO. 2 OF THE PIPE CONDUIT CANNOT BE BEGUN UNTIL AFTER WATER CON-

STRUCTION LONDS ARE SOLD Work is almost at a standstill in the City Works Department. Not only is the construction of asphalt and other pavements and of sew-ra tied up, but nothing can be done toward the construction of Section No. 2 of the important additional pipe con-

dult until water construction bonds are sold in September. The contract for this work, it will be remembered. was awarded about a month ago to John McNamee. a well-known contractor, at his bid of \$779.000. Controller Palmer has not yet certified that there is money in the city treasury to pay for this contract. and until such certification is received the contractor, of course, cannot proceed with the work. The Controller is unable to certify that there is noney for this work for the good reason that there

not be until September 15 at least, when some water instruction bonds will be offered for sale At the close of last year the Board of Aldermen authorized the issuance of \$1,250,000 of water construction bonds, but these bonds were not offered for sale in July, as it was learned that the city bonds were not salable at that time.

is no money available for such a purpose, and will

The necessary delay in selling these bonds may put Contractor McNamee in a difficult place. contract requires that the section of the conduit be finished within fourteen months from the time that the work begins. It likewise provides that the first three miles of conduit be finished within four months. If the bonds are not sold until the middle of September, Mr. McNames can ope for only two and a half months of the kind of weather that is necessary for digging n the earth. So it will probably be absolutely im cossible for him to live up to this provision of his ontract. The people of Brooklyn may likewise uffer because of the bad market for the sale of binleipal bonds by the fact that it may be imposible to complete the section next fall, before winter its in

sible to complete the section next fall, before winter sets in.

Section No. 1 of this conduit is about one mile Section No. 1 of this conduit is about one mile long extending from Spring Creek to the Ridge-wood engine-house. Its construction is nearly finished Section No. 2 extends from Spring Creek to the Millburn engine-house, and is about aftern miles in length. It is the easternmost of these miles that must be completed in four months. The contract, as awarded cails for a 68-inch steel riveted pigrath of the supply of water but now, in order to provide the requisite conduit capacity for the present water consumption of the city and for the immediate development of the existing watershed. The steel in this section of the conduit will weigh 10-00 tons. The work is one of such magnitude that it will be necessary for Mr. McNamee to put up a construction building before he begins the work. This makes an additional loss of time.

SHE WAS EMMA OSWALD.

THE WOMAN WHO KILLED HERSELF ON THE C. H. NORTHAM IDENTIFIED AS A BROOKLYN RESIDENT.

The woman who committed suicide by taking taris green while on the steamer (H. Northam and for New-Haven, on Friday, has been positively identified by means of a letter which was found n her satchel. She was Miss Eroma Oswald, of this ity, but her home cannot be found. A pawnticket, bearing the name of Raymond, of No. 50 Douglass. it. was also found in the satchel. The ring which was the article pawned, was piedged on August 2 at the store of J. Harris & Son, of No. 245 Courtest. Mr. Harris has identified the ticket, but remembers no details of the transaction, and does not believe ne could identify the person who pawned the ring At No 30 Douglassest, no one knew any one by the name of Oswald. The woman is said to have been in the employ of the Spencer Optical Company, in not worked there for a year. The bookkeeper at that place said he was unable to tell where the woman had boarded, and refused to make known where she boarded while in their empios. James White, a foreman of the firm of Alken & Lambert, jewellers, of New-York, was said to have known the women. Mr. White could not be found at his address, at No 150 Willoughby-st., yesterday. The girl who answered the door said that no such man lived there. In a dispatch from New-Haven it was sileged that Thomas L. Hunter, of Brooklyn had given to Medical Examiner White some information in regard to the woman and her Brooklyn connection. No such name can be found in the Brooklyn directory, however.

A KNIFE USER HELD Maiden Lane, New-York, for several years, but has

HOW "SAM" FIGURED IT OUT.

THE PROBLEM WAS A DEEP ONE BUT

SULT WAS ASTONISHING. Little Samuel Cole is one of the brightess n the school of Thomas Hapgood, who teaches in a Long Island town several miles from Brooklyn. Samuel is a darkey black as a lump of coal, and with a grasp for mathematics far beyond his years. sirest in front of her house. No. 16 Varet at., yester 'Sam' shines on 'original' problems, and, cording to the story told recently by a fellow-townsman. Schoolmaster Hapgood will use more care in the future when giving problems to "Sam" than he did on one occasion just before vacation

It was a hot afternoon, and "Sam" was caught red-handed in the act of putting a bent pin in AN IMPORTANT PARTITION BALE TO BE HELD the seat of a comrade. The boy's sudden yell cre ated a disturbance, and "Sam" was told to stay after school. The schoolmuster is opposed to con poral chastisement. So, in the way of punish-

ment, he gave out a problem.
" Sam: " said he, "when you finish the example I am going to give to you, you can go home. And if you ever cut up that way again I'll break my

'Now, 'Sam.' Suppose a cut falls down a fifty foot well. It tries to climb out, and every time it crawls up two feet it falls back four feet. How long will it take that cat to reach the surface. "Yes, san. That's a ha'd sum but I recken I kin

trick. Yesterday he began an action in the Su-preme Court against Joseph Lachtenstein and his

vife. Rebecca Lichtenstein, and Michael Silverman. Deutsch alleges that he and Joseph Lichtenstein agreed to exchange their property, Lichtenstein to take Deutsch's store and Deutsch Lichtenstein's take Deutsch's store and Deutsch Lichtenstein's real estate at No. 40 Rockaway-ave. Brooklyn Deutsch, in addition, was to give to Lichtenstein \$250 in cash. Lichtenstein's house and lot being valued at \$6.70. On August 11 Deutsch gave to Lichtenstein a bill of sale of the store, and Lichtenstein and his wife executed a deed purporting to convey the Rockaway-ave property to Deutsch which they said they would have recorded, Deutsch which they said they would have recorded. Deutsch which they said they would have recorded. Deutsch which they said they would have recorded. Beutsch with the deed was made in favor of Micnael Silverman, and that he did not find that out until after it was recorded. He says that Lichtenstein took advantage of his inability to read English to cheat and defraud him. He is suing to have the deed declared void and cancelled, and to have the Lichtensteins execute a proper deed.

A FIRE ENGINE BREAKS DOWN.

Fire engine No. 1, from the engine-nouse in Pearl , near Concord-st., broke down at 7:45 last evening when returning from a slight fire in Fulton-st at Jay-st the nut on the right front whee came off, letting the wheel slip off the axle. The engine was not going rapidly at the time and the driver was uninjured. The damage to the engine was

slight. The engine fell on the tracks of the Smith and Jay st trolley line, and stopped travel there for nearly an hour. Traffic on the Brooklyn Heights line is Fultonest, was not interrupted, although passing carbearly grazed the axie of the left hind wheel.

YACHT CLUB ENTERTAINMENT. The third annual entertainment and lawn party

Martin, were killed while walking on the track of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Rullroad. The estate goes to the children, William A. and John Martin.

CABLE CHESS MATCH POSTPONED.

The committee of the Brooklyn Chess Club will rot meet before next month. Action on the subject of the challenge for a return cable chess match with the British Chess Club has therefore been posstponed.**

The third annual entertainment and lawn party of the Gravesend Bay Yacht Club, which is to be given at the Avoca Villa, Bath Beach, on Friday evening, promises to be a most successful affair. An excellent programme is being arranged for the entertainment, and among those who will appear are Smith and Cook, Swift and Chase, George W. Day, Mattie and Patsy Rooney, Jessie Villars, Waltie and Patsy Rooney, Jessie Villars, Waltie and Patsy Rooney, Lottle Gilson, Dan Maron, the Lynn sisters, Ed. Hefferman, the Versattle Trio, the Vougeirs and the Metropolitan Quartiet.

IN THE EASTERN DISTRICT.

AN EXCITING RUNAWAY.

A spirited horse, owned by Frank Ibert, the brewer and driven by Tony Stark, sixteen years old, of No 634 Evergreen-ave., became frightened at a train of the Long Island Rethroad at Atlantic-ave, and Manhatten crossing last evening and ran away. Besides young Stark, a woman with her infant child was in the wagon. The horse ran through Williams Place to Fulton-ave., where he took to the sidewalk scattering men, women and children to places o safety After running for a block along the side walk, the anima again got into the street, and when Broadway and Stone-ave, was reached the when Broadway and Stone-ave, was reached the wagon came into collision with the carriage of Dr. J. J. Ashley, of No 566 Greene-ave. The doctor and his coachman were in the carriage, and both were thrown to the street and the carriage wrecked. Dr. Ashley received a fracture of the left shoulder by the fall, his conchman escaping undur. The horse still continued on his maddened run, with young Stark, the woman and child still in the vehicle. After running two more blocks the wagon bumped into one in which was P. Schultz. Stark was thrown to the street by tale collision and received several brutses. Before the animal had gone another block. Mounted Policeman Rabendon, of the Raiph-ave station, captured him. The woman and child were not but.

CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY. John Victory, of No. 546 Gates-ave., was arrested

last week by Latective Miller, of the Ralph-ave police station, charged with grand larceny. Sunday morning Victory was in Hogan's saloon, at Broadway and Hangock-si., when he met John Beach, of No. 777 Jefferson-ave. Mr. Beach holds a responsible position in the Brookiyn Navy Yard. a responsible position in the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and his brother is a captain in the service. Beach had been drinking, and exhibited a gold watch, which Victory admired. Beach said that it cost like and taking it off told Victory to wear it for few minutes to see how it looked on him. He did so, and while in possession of it disappeared from the place. When arrested he had the watch and chain on his person. He will be arraigned to-day in the Gates Avenue Police Court.

A SALGONKEEPER'S SUICIDE.

Contad Meede, a saloonkeeper at No. 65 Knickerbooker-ave... committed suicide last evening in his apartments over the saloon by shooting himself was instantaneous. Merde had been brooding for some time over the lad business he was doing, and at times he acted as hough he was demented.
After eating his support last night he went to the
front room, after taking the revolver from the
hurcau drawer, and took his life. His wife and
children heard the shot, but he was dead before
they reached him.

IN SECLUSION FOR THE WINTER. Hannah Freis, the young woman who was at

rested Friday charged with pawring trousers ob tained from two clothing manufacturers in the Eastern District, was yesterday committed to the House of the Good Shenherd by Justice Goetting, in the Lee Avenue Folke Court, for six months, the young waman applied to the clothing makers for work, and they gave her the trousers to faish.

RAINES LAW HOTEL-KEEPERS OBJECTED Justice Goetting, in the Lee Avenue Police Court esterday remanded Mrs. Mary Miller, a widow, of No. 25 Spencer-st, for trial on a charge of having violated the exclusion. The woman was arrested Sunday by Policeman Fay of the Vernon-ave sta-tion, for selling it is alleged, a bottle of beer to thenry Malone who lives at the Spencer at address it is alleged that Mrs. Miller conducted a nor business in the woodened in the rear yard of her home Sundays, greatly to the detiment of the Raines law hotels in the vicinity. She pleaded not gulfry to the charge, and gave bull for trial.

HOMELESS AND HUNGRY.

Elizabeth Reinsenno ker, forty years old. yesterday sent to the almahouse by Justice Goet-ting, in the Lee Avenue Police Court, at her own request. The woman went to the court homeless and hungry.

GRAND LARCENY CHARGED BY HIS UNCLE Detective Review of the Greenpoint-ave station yesterday morning arrested William Clarks, twenty

Daniel Leidy, of No 211 Engless: who slashed George Lee of No 52 Boxest, with a potato knife early Sunday morning during a quarrel in Thomson's Hotel, Manhaman-ave and Clay st. was yesterday held in \$1,000 hall by Justice Goetting in the Let Avenue Police Court. In default of hall Leddy wen

THE DRIVER NOT TO BLAME

Julia Mauer, three years old while playing on the day afternoon, was knocked down by a passing wagon and painfully injured. The child was attended by an ambulance surgeon. As the accident was no fault of the driver of the wagon no arrest was made.

CORDED MORTGAGES.

Only one sale was reported yesterday, as follows Hum. of Read as a 58 ft and Hackmar at, 77 and tw22x19 lixe2 loads 2 W J Butting to George Hingler, morngage \$2.500

On September 5, Jere Johnson, jr., will have an im-portant partition sale consisting of 127 lots on Ken-sington Heights and Ocean Parkway. This property can be easily reached by the following lines: Nassau read to Ocean Parkway, Prospect Park and Coney Island to Avenus D. Mannattan Beach Ballroad to Parkville, Brighton Beach Railroad to Avenus C. and by Fifth-ave elevated and Culver's road to Ken-

tain one of the village pastors who had just come in an undertone "He's irrepressible" "Sam" took his slate and began figuring. He filled one side and began figuring. He filled one side and began on the other. Haif past i four came, and the schoolmaster thought "Sam" had stayed long enough. "Sam," said be, "how are you coming out." The darkey looked troubled. "Mist' Happood" he exclaimed. "Jist you wait." In Fill have dat cut in hell's bout foh minutes. "We soull' elaculated the minister. "Yes, suh," was the unabashed answer. "Cat must be havin' a sco'chin' time."

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SAYS HE WAS DEFRAUDED OF PROPERTY Israel Doutsch, a saloonkeeper at No. 17 Ersex at New-York, who is unable to read English says he was defrauded out of his store by a very simple trick. Yesterday he began an action in the Sc Same property, Justin E spains to same, all

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18th Andrew Wils to John Carney, Glen Cove,

Long Island mottgage \$2.250.

THE TERMINAL NEARLY COMPLETED. Engineer Martin, of the Brooklyn Bridge, announced yesterday that the tracks and platforms at the New-York terminal would in all probability be completely finished by next Monday morning. Trains began running Saturday night on one of the two permanent tracks of the station. Next Sunday the north track between the island platforms will be lowered about a foot. It is now resting on temporary ties, which were placed there in order to allow the workmen to build the brick arches underneath. The temporary board covering on the cement platforms has been removed, and all that now remains to be done are a few insignificant odds and ends.

ALLEGED SHORTAGE OF A POSTMASTER. Jacob L. Van Wicklen, postmaster at Richmond Hill. in Queens County, Long Island, was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy United States Marshal Evarts, on a charge of appropriating to his own use \$479 30 of Government funds. Van Wicklen's shortage was discovered by George W. Beavers, a postoffice inspector. When brought before United